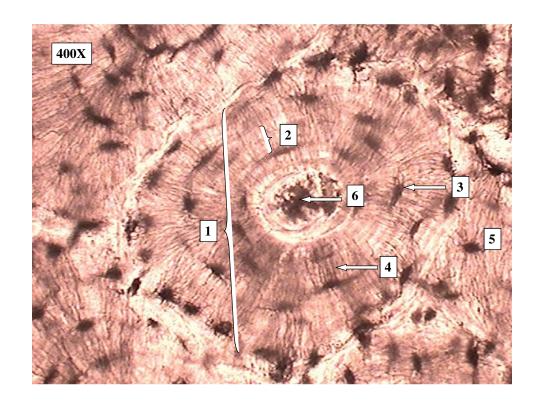
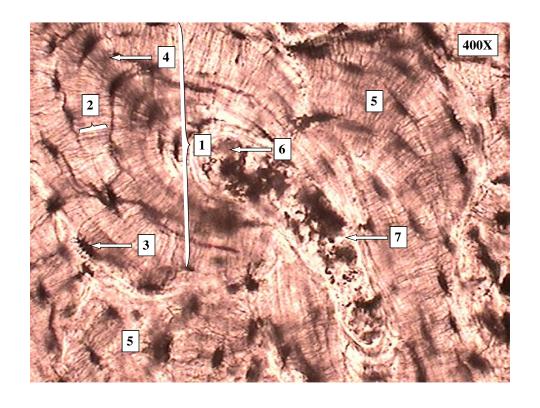
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Histology Slides for Bone Tissues

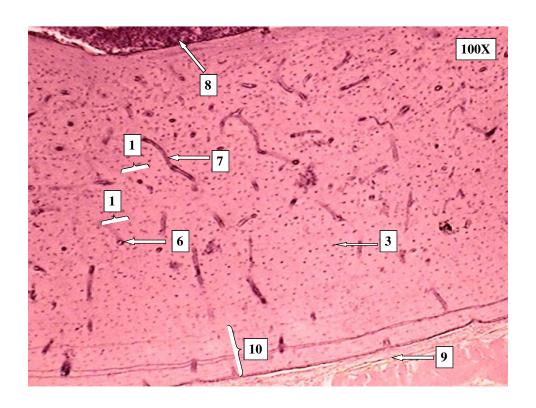
- Slides are presented in order of magnification if different views are presented.
- As you view the following slides make sure you can accomplish these goals:
- 1. Can you identify the tissue observable on the slides?
- 2. Can you identify the specific structures or layers indicated by the numbered arrows or brackets?
- At the end of a sequence, you will find the answers to the above for each slide.

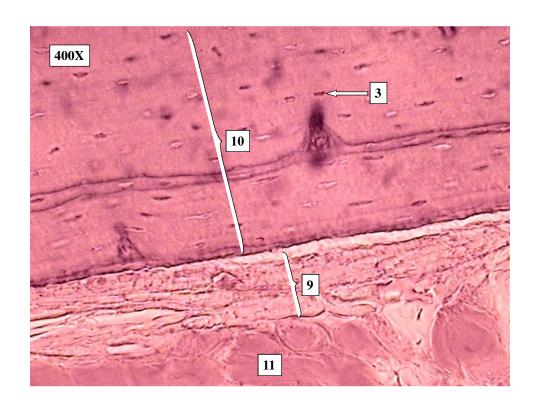


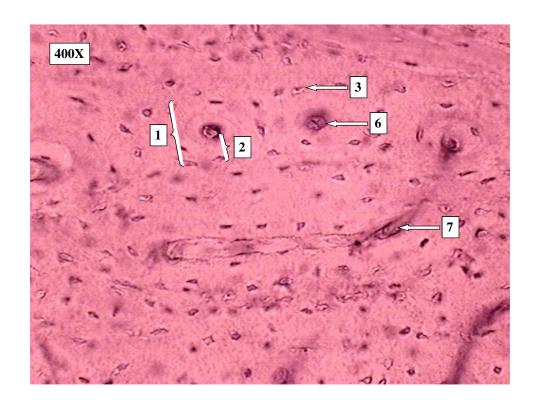


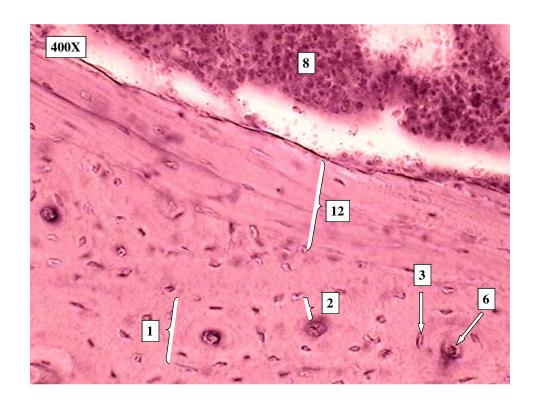
Slides 3-4 Compact Bone

- 1. Osteon, the basic structural and functional unit of compact bone.
- 2. Concentric Lamellae, rings of bone matrix surrounding a Central Canal or Haversian canal
- 3. Lacuna, space in matrix where osteoblasts or osteocytes are found.
- 4. Canaliculi, passageways in the matrix for cytoplasmic extensions between osteocytes
- 5. Interstitial Lamellae, remnants of osteons whose matrix has been partly recycled by osteoclasts. These lamellae fill in the spaces between osteons.
- **6.** Central Canal or Haversian Canal, passageway for blood vessels that provide nutrient to osteocytes.
- 7. Perforating Canal or Volkmann's Canal, passageway for blood vessels that runs perpendicular to Central Canals. Conveys blood vessels to deeper osteons.









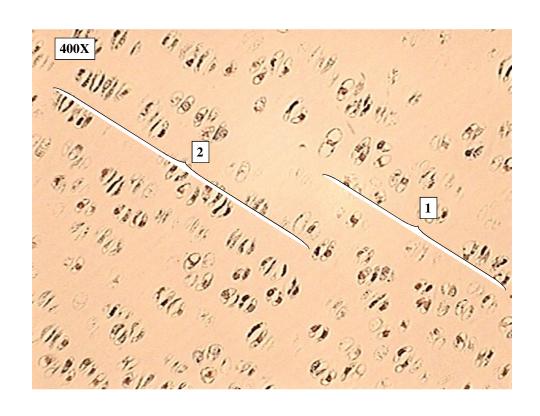
Slides 6-9 Decalcified Bone

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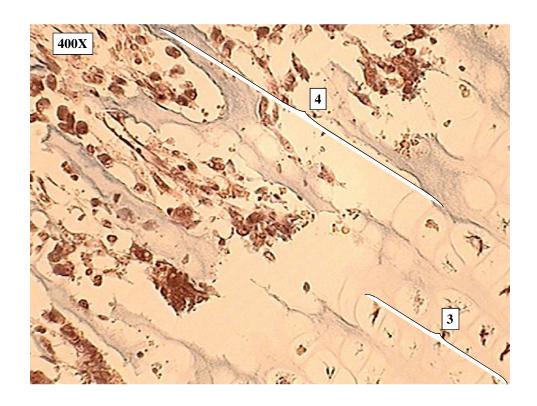
Slides 6-9 Decalcified Bone

- 8. Red Bone marrow
- 9. Periosteum, membrane covering bone containing a outer fibrous layer and an inner cellular layer.
- 10. Outer Circumferential Lamellae
- 11. Skeletal muscle associated with the outside of the bone
- 12. Inner circumferential Lamellae









Slides 12-15 Epiphyseal plate

- 1. Zone of Resting cartilage, zone nearest the epiphysis at both the distal and proximal. Note the small scattered chondrocytes and lacuna.
- 2. Zone of Proliferating cartilage, note the stacks of chondrocytes that develop because these chondrocytes undergo mitosis to replace the chondrocytes that die at the diaphyseal side of the epiphyseal plate.
- 3. Zone of Hypertrophic cartilage, note increased size of the chondrocytes and lacuna in this region
- 4. Zone of Calcified cartilage, note that the matrix is staining darker. This is due to calcification of the matrix. Note that chondrocytes are decreased in number due to their death.